

Galahad,
look into the
cup, and listen
to the story



of the
other

Galahad.



Chapter One: Vergescu



"Vergescu, old friend, for 'Vergescu' is a name bright,
It signifies to many a warrior that with his riding
He can be found! Come, my friend, to the office
Of the great king, for he is the king of the world!"



Maman =
Maman in French

Maman*!



Hmm?

Why did we sneak
out of the castle
even before the
sun rises?

I'm still
very tired.

SECRET





Don't cry,
Maman!

Father, he can't
yell at you anymore-
he's gone off to
Heaven.

*God and the
angels was it
last time!*

Last night, Uncle Arthur
gave me a sword for my
5th birthday. Today, my
uncle Gworbos, the First
Sword, will show me
how to use it.



When I become the
best knight in the
world, nobody can
make you
cry, I swear!



I'll grow
up real fast,
Maman!



Galahad.

when you grow up,
you'll learn that the
hardest problems
are the ones you
can't swing a blade at.

When
you...

grow
up.

Maman...



We're
here.

Look, Maman,
there's a boat!





I have a quest for you,

Galahad.

There's a monster out in this lake somewhere, and it only shows when you're alone.

Also, only one knight can get rid of that beast, and that would be my brave son.



When you're done, Maman...Maman will come join you

Will you accept this mission?

Of course!



Here's my favour

Mam-
Madame

for my strong knight.

your knight shall be swift in completion of his task.



A Deu*,
Maman!

I'll see you
soon!

* A Deu = "to God" - short form of the traditional goodbye
in old French, A Deu le rank "May God keep you"
It survives in English and French as "adieu" nowadays



Galahad was really happy. His mother had trusted him with an important task,

he had a day off lessons, and didn't have to behave like the Crown Prince that he was.



But when the moon came up-

Maman,

I want to go home now.



For three days
and three nights,
Galahad pleaded
with the empty
water and sky

for his mother
to take him back,

to no
avail.





His mother had
abandoned him.

But, as he stared
into the water,

a monster appeared.

Maybe it was
the hunger or
the exhaustion.



Ahgh!



However...



Galahad was
happy again.

His mother
didn't leave
him,

he just had to
be more diligent
in hunting down
this monster.



Demon,

you face



Galahad
of Benoit!

ROCK
ROCK

SMOKE

SLASH



Maman...

Maman...

Il Chevalier Mestais

The Knight Who Sinned

Chapter 1: Vergesca (to be continued)

